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Governor Musgrove Voices Support for Change in College Board Structure

Jackson, MS – Governor Ronnie Musgrove today added his support to a proposal by Lieutenant Governor Amy Tuck to restructure the make-up of the state College Board.

"It is time to make a change in this outdated board structure," Musgrove said. "We should take action now to fix this problem, so a fair change can be made in coordination with the new congressional districts. Every region of the state deserves representation."

Currently, the 12-member board is selected based on congressional district lines drawn in 1944 (for seven districts), plus three Supreme Court districts and two at-large positions.

Musgrove said he does not favor amending the appointment process itself.